

Men's Shoe Reductions.

All \$3.00 Shoes	3.95
All \$4.00 Shoes	3.25
All \$5.00 Shoes	2.90
All \$6.00 Shoes	2.45
All \$7.00 Shoes	1.95
All \$8.00 Shoes	1.60
All \$1.50 Shoes	1.20

Women's

All \$4.00 Shoes	3.25
All \$5.00 Shoes	2.90
All \$6.00 Shoes	2.45
All \$7.00 Shoes	1.95
All \$8.00 Shoes	1.60
All \$1.50 Shoes	1.20

Boy's & Girl's

All \$2.50 Shoes	2.60
All \$2.00 Shoes	1.60
All \$1.50 Shoes	1.20
All \$1.25 Shoes	1.05
All \$1.00 Shoes	.85c

KLEINMAERS
BIG MID-WINTER
CLEARANCE SALE!!

Not best Overcoats of the season in fancy weaves and colors—cravenettes included.

You save \$9.00 on any \$30.00 Overcoat
You save \$7.50 on any \$27.50 Overcoat
You save \$6.50 on any \$25.00 Overcoat
You save \$5.25 on any \$20.00 Overcoat
You save \$4.00 on any \$15.00 Overcoat
You save \$3.50 on any \$12.50 Overcoat
You save \$2.50 on any \$10.00 Overcoat
Blacks at almost the same Ratio.

These are actual savings to you. Assurance of the honesty of these reductions lies in the fact that we are the only one price clothing store in Marion—reliance can never be placed in price reductions of a two price store—for reliance, come here.

Men's Suits
Fancy Patterns.

\$30.00 Suits	21.50
\$27.50 Suits	20.50
\$25.00 Suits	19.00
\$20.00 Suits	15.75
\$18.50 Suits	14.50
\$15.00 Suits	11.25
\$13.50 Suits	10.00
\$10.00 Suits	7.75
\$ 7.50 Suits	5.50

Fur Caps

Now's your time to buy a Fur Cap.	
\$6.00 Seal Skin	4.50
\$5.00 Seal Skin	3.75
\$4.00 Seal Skin	3.25
\$3.00 Seal Skin	2.25

Sweaters.

And Sweater Coats.	
\$2.50 values	2.75
\$2.00 values	2.05
\$1.50 values	1.63
\$1.00 values	1.19
\$.75 values	.77c

COLLEGE MAN
STEALS DIAMONDS

Delaware Youth Attempts
Bold Robbery.

DRIVEN TO DESPERATION

Debts Falling Due Jan. 1,
The Cause.

Robert P. Crist, hold-up man, Miss Krause in Bower's Store—\$1,000 Worth of Diamonds Taken—Fast Life at College.

As bold a hold-up and robbery as was ever perpetrated in the wild west in its palmy days was pulled off in G. W. Bower's jewelry store, just before the noon hour today, when Robert P. Crist, a freshman at Ohio Wesleyan university, single handed, forced Miss Ethel Krause, at the point of a revolver to hand over to him the tray of diamonds which was in the show window. The fellow was later captured in the rear of Kaler's confectionery store on west Center street, by a posse of citizens who went in pursuit of the fellow.

It was about 11:30 o'clock when Mr. and Mrs. Bowers went to a dining hall for lunch. They had been gone probably ten or fifteen minutes when a stranger, a young man apparently not more than twenty-one years of age, dressed in a gray overcoat and hat of the same color, entered the store and addressing Miss Krause, who was alone at the time, stating that he had received some Christmas money and he wished to buy a diamond ring. Miss Krause informed him that she never shows the diamonds and that Mr. Bowers would return in a few minutes. The fellow left the store and was gone but a few minutes when he returned. Miss Krause walked up to the show case to wait upon him and was confronted with a revolver shoved into her face. The fellow said to her: "Don't you scream, or I'll kill you. You go to that window and get me that tray of diamonds."

Miss Krause was so taken by surprise that she hardly realized what she was doing and replied to his demand: "Why, man, what are you doing?"

The fellow still keeping the revolver pointed directly in Miss Krause's face came around the show case and forced her to go to the window and get the tray of diamonds and had them over to him. Then he darted out of the store and ran south to the alley between Charles Bauginger's place of business and the Light house. He ran east in this alley to the intersection of the alley running north and south just west of Strayer's drug store.

By this time, Miss Krause had gotten to the door and given the alarm. There were a number of men in the alley near the Egleston repair shop and when the thief saw that he was detected off in that direction, he drew his gun from his pocket and informed them they had best let him alone. The men were dazed by the sudden action and did not care to jump right into a fellow with a loaded revolver. The fellow then turned and ran west in the alley in which he had come, crossed Main street and continued west across Prospect street with quite a number of men in pursuit. The posse had divided, one bunch of men going to Center street and then west, another to Church street and west in order to apprehend the fellow should he endeavor to dodge out any of the intersecting streets or alleys, while the main part of the crowd followed down the alley. When the fellow came to the blind alley in the rear of Kaler's confectionery store, he ran up a few steps in one stairway and saw that he had been cornered. He threw up his hands and gave himself up. Samuel Smith, was the first man to the fellow and he was taken to police headquarters and was turned over to the police.

When captured the fellow did not have the tray of diamonds, and stated that he had fallen in the alley and supposed he had dropped them then. Further searching revealed the diamonds hidden under some rubbish in the spot where the rubber had attempted to conceal himself. George Knapp and John Clark were the finders. The tray contained twelve stones valued at \$1,000. One stone was missing but was found on his person, later. The tray of diamonds was sealed and placed in a safe to be used in the prosecution.

Robert P. Crist is the hold-up man's name. He is nineteen years of age and is a freshman at Ohio Wesleyan university, where he is a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, one of the best at that college. Crist formerly lived in Nicholasville, Kentucky, having moved to Delaware when the college opened this fall, with his mother. Crist claims that fast college life, too much society, betting and poker games in the sanctimonious college town forced him to borrow money and having lived beyond his means was unable to pay his debts, falling due January 1. Brooding over his troubles made him desperate. Poker was utilized as a means of obtaining funds but his winnings were small. Finally driven to desperation, he visited a local loan office and purchased a thirty-two caliber revolver, attempting to pawn his fraternity pin at the same time.

Mr. Bowers identified him as the man who called at his home about 11 o'clock last evening but was refused admittance. The glitter of the precious stones and gold, the thoughts of their value was too much for young Crist and the robbery was committed. Mr. Crist has been in the city about a week. His well fitting clothes, polite manner, amiable disposition and refinement of speech has made him many friends in the city and elsewhere. At the Y. M. C. A. basketball game last evening, people who knew him, observed that he was nervous and seemed to be suffering from a mental strain as he was continually biting his lips until the blood ran. Miss Krause, after the affair was naturally quite badly excited and for a time was quite nervous. She gave a very good description of the fellow and stated she would be able to identify him if she ever saw him again. She described what occurred while the fellow was in the store, as given above. Miss Krause was later taken to her home being extremely nervous.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Articles—Beatty & Long—rubbers.
RAILROAD NEWS

Erie air test car No. 99 is in this city for the purpose of instructing Erie employees in the use and operation of the air apparatus. Improvements have been made in this line and workmen are given a chance to become accustomed to the use of the new machines. G. Allen is in charge of the car.

Martella Francesco had his right hand badly lacerated while working at the Erie transfer, Dr. A. Rhu attended the injured man.

An Erie freight engine was derailed at DeCliff last night about midnight, tying up traffic for a short time. The Gallon wrecking crew placed the engine on the track.

Forty per cent. off men's suits and overcoats. Herman Bros. 1-3-21

COURT NEWS

The case of William J. Thibaut against Elmer Mayfield has been appealed from the court of Justice C. H. Conley to the common pleas court. The plaintiff claims the defendant is indebted to him in the sum of \$71.09 on a promissory note, given September 26th, 1907 and judgment for the amount is asked.

The answer of the defendant in the case of Marion B. Chase against Margaret Fox and William F. Fox has been filed by attorney Fred W. Warner. The defendants admit that the case was appealed from Justice C. H. Conley's court but deny all other allegations.

The Modern Brotherhood of America will initiate a class of candidates this evening after which a social will be enjoyed and refreshments of a substantial nature will be served.

The Warner & Edwards Co.

In the Ready-Made Section

A clearance sale of
Every Coat
Every Suit
Every Fur Set
Every Muff
Every Dress
Every Evening gown
Long Coats
\$5.95 and \$9.95.
Tailored Suits
9.75, \$14.95, \$19.00.
One piece dresses and evening gowns less one-third.

Dress Goods Opportunities

Remnants and short lengths in colored wool dress goods. Priestly blacks, Jamestown suitings, Plaids and fancy weaves at exactly

HALF PRICE

"Marquisesettes"
For Spring

You will see a great demand for this voile weave in the spring. It is woven from hard finished cotton thread with a beautiful mercerized finish, the fabric is 36 inches wide and comes in every possible shade. The plain weave . . . 39c
Bourette effect . . . 50c

BIBLER-HOMAN

Miss Myrtle Homan Becomes the Wife
Of Mr. Archie Bibler.

Sunday morning at 12 o'clock, Archie M. Bibler and Myrtle May Homan were united in marriage in the study of the Epworth M. E. church, by Rev. David H. Balley. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the choir of the church. Immediately following the wedding, the young couple left for a short trip through the east to be gone for a few days. Upon their return, they will make their home at Morral, where both have resided for a number of years.

The latest improved EDISON and VICTOR phonographs; also a full line of the latest records now on sale at F. D. Beatz, 226 east Center street Phone R-451. 9-14-11

The "Nature" shape shoes sold by Beatty & Long please the wearer.

Card of Thanks.
We desire to express our thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kindness and help during the death of our mother, Mrs. Susan B. Bone. The Children.

MORRISON-TEMPLE

James Howard Morrison Weds Miss Grace Temple.

At 6 o'clock Monday evening, Mr. James Howard Morrison was united in marriage to Miss Grace Mildred Temple at the home of Rev. D. H. Balley. The wedding was of a very quiet nature, the young couple being unattended.

Mrs. Morrison is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Temple of Barnhart street, and is well known in Marion. The groom is a promising

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Our Window?

Have a look.

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FACTS

With dining room domes, gas portables and fancy glassware we are fully prepared to meet your very wants. A big showing of the latest designs in chandeliers. It will pay you to look over our stock.

HILDRETH & PACE

118 E. Church Phone 593

The January Clearance
Sale is Now On

The first day of the Sale started with a rush.

All Tailored Suits at 3 prices, \$7.50, \$9.75 and \$15

The entire stock of Women's Coats at three prices,
\$7.50, \$10.50 and \$15

Big Bargains in Children's Coats.

The Denman-Jenner Co.
OUT OF THE HIGH RENT DISTRICT.

I Don't!

Care for anything but leather in my shoes—In this age of fictitious prices there are many fictitious (shoddy) shoes and at too high prices.

If you buy the Smart & Waddell kind you'll buy all leather shoes—you'll buy less pairs per year, too, and pay no more.

We repair shoes properly.

Smart & Waddell

CANNOT CHANGE
SALARIES NOW

Board of Review Members
Are Immune.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OPINION

Commissioners Must Re-
scind the Order.

Salaries of the Members of the Board of Review For the City Can be Fixed Only With the Beginning of The Year's Work—Reports Were Unfounded.

The county commissioners have been informed by the attorney general of the state, that the action which they took in reducing the salaries of the members of the board of review for the city, from five dollars to \$3.50 per day, was not regular and that cannot stand.

A few days ago the board of commissioners determined to reduce the pay of the members of the board of review and without further ado made the cut. No reason was given at the time for the reduction. When asked by a member of the board of review why it had been done, the commissioner stated that it had been considered ever since the quadrennial reappraisers for the city had put up such a kick when their salaries were fixed at \$3.50 instead of five dollars per day as had been expected. At that time the reappraisers pointed to the salary which was being paid to the boards of review members as proof of their claim that five dollars per day was not out of reason, holding that their services were just as valuable to the city and county as were the services of the members of the board of review. The matter had been allowed to drag along with the commissioners, with the old salary prevailing for the members of the board of equalization or review until a few days ago when the reduction was made.

The matter was taken up with the state auditor by the board of review and County Auditor C. L. Allen. The state auditor gave the board an opinion which was handed down by the attorney general in a parallel case which was decided in the courts some time ago. This opinion is to the effect that the board of commissioners has the power to fix the salaries of the members of the board of review at the beginning of each year and that once having fixed the salary for the year it cannot be changed during the year. This is in accordance with the rule which does not permit an official's salary being increased or decreased during his term of office. The opinion holds that the salary of the board members was fixed at the time they began work for the year and that it can neither be raised nor lowered until the time for fixing the salaries for the next year.

Some of the members of the board of review held a conference, Monday, with the county commissioners and presented the matter to them with the result that the order which was made some days ago will probably be rescinded and the board will be permitted to draw the salary of five dollars per day, at least until the beginning of the next year's work, in April. The county commissioners Monday disclaimed all knowledge of an error which was alleged to have been made by the board of review and stated that reports of that sort had no bearing whatever upon the action taken by them. They stated that they had met with the board of review only once, when the city and county boards of review held a short conference to determine what should be done with the salaries in the county and that they knew nothing of the manner in which the city board was working. They also disclaimed making the statement that the board of review for the city was making the clerks do all the work while the members looked on.

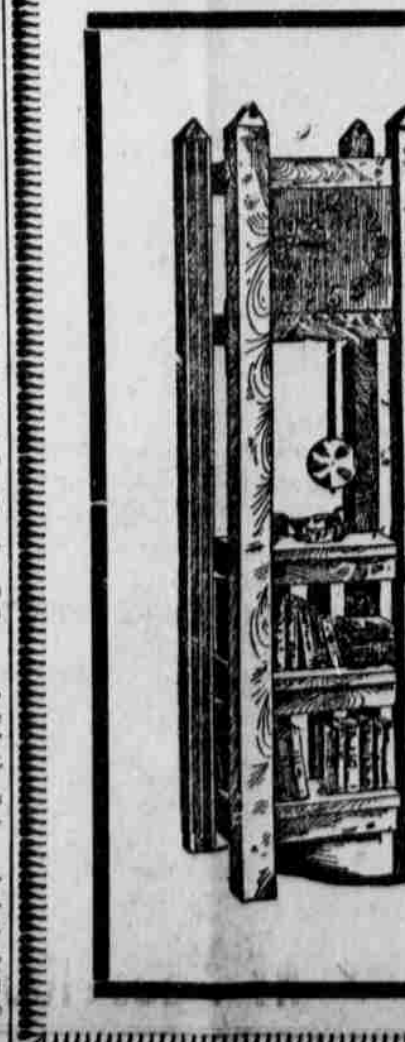
Piano Tuning.

J. P. Menges, the expert piano tuner, will be here next week. Leave your order at Henney & Cooper's, or Lancaster, O. 12-28-61

Boys' gum shoes for sock or felt only \$1.95 in Beatty & Long's economy basement. Sizes up to 5.

Make your entries for corn show with F. H. Owen, secretary, on Thursday at Uhler-Phillips store. 1

The meeting of the Woman's Relief corps which was to have been held tonight has been postponed until the afternoon of Tuesday, January 17.



FREE THIS BEAUTIFUL HALL CLOCK FREE

This clock similar to picture, stands 68 inches high, is 17 inches wide, has full brass movement, weights and dial—absolutely guaranteed, given WITH EVERY PURCHASE OF \$15.00 OR MORE FREE.

Our assortment of holiday goods is complete, and no difference whether you buy FURNITURE, CARPETS, STOVES—anything in the store, amounting to \$15.00 or more, the clock is yours. You don't have to pay the cash either—have it charged. One only to a customer.

"It's easy to pay the Parish way."

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